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NOISE REDUCER FOR VEHICLE WHEEL

THIS IS NOT A NEW PATENT APPLICATION

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Sir:

The application papers for the above-identified application were originally filed on March 25, 2004 and the application was assigned Appl. No. 10/808,473.

DOCUMENTATION

\boxtimes	Under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. $\$\$$ 1.41(c) and 1.53(f),
	attached hereto is the executed Declaration of the inventor(s)
	($igties$ original $igcap$ photocopy), necessary for completing the
	filing requirements in connection with the above-identified
	application.
	Under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.41(c) and 1.53(f),
	attached hereto is the executed Declaration that was attached

to the specification at the time of execution. The attached

2004, including any amendments thereto (if applicable) filed on even date therewith. 冈 The undersigned hereby declares that "Attorney Docket No. 0229-0799PUS1 " on page 1 of the attached inventors' Declaration, corresponds to Appl. No. 10/808,473, filed March 25, 2004, entitled "NOISE REDUCER FOR VEHICLE WHEEL." \boxtimes Attached is a copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application. Attached is an English language translation of the aboveidentified application that was filed in a foreign language, which should be used as the copy for examination purposes. See the attached Translator's Verification; or The undersigned states that the English translation attached hereto is a true and correct translation of the application as originally filed in a foreign language. Attached are ____ () sheet(s) of formal drawings. Please substitute these corrected drawings for the corresponding () sheets of drawings on file in the aboveidentified application. Attached are substitute claims commencing on a separate sheet in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.75(h). \Box Attached is a substitute abstract commencing on a separate sheet in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.72(b). Attached is a substitute specification that complies with 37 C.F.R. § 1.52. The substitute specification does not contain new matter. Applicant claims small entity status under 37 C.F.R. § 1.27.

specification is a true copy of the specification that was

filed in the U.S. Patent and Trademark office on March 25,

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Respectfully submitted,

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